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Dear Sir.

This Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) is submitted in response to an Office Action dated December 29, 2005 in the subject case, which was made **FINAL**. It is believed no extension of time is needed. If any additional extension is required, please consider this a petition therefore. Charge the extension fee to Deposit Account No. 19-3790, along with any additional required fees.

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